Mr. Merchant, why not place an announcement in the Gazette and invite the newcomers to Alexandria to visit your store and inspect your goods?

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THE WEATHER
For this section—Fair tonight; probably rain tomorrow.

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FLAGS FLYING ALL OVER ALEXANDRIA IN THE CELEBRATION OF "LIBERTY DAY"

The Stars and Stripes in Evidence on Every Side—All in Readiness for the Parade in Which Civic and Fraternal Organizations, Pupils of Public Schools and Citizens in General Will Participate—Parade to Start at 3 o'clock, and Senator Swanson to Speak at 4 o'clock in the Richmond Theater.

All is in readiness for the big parade which will be made in Alexandria this afternoon at 3 o'clock in celebration of "Liberty Day" in compliance with the proclamation of President Wilson and Governor Davis.

It is expected that at least fifteen or eighteen hundred school children will march, as well as the various civic and fraternal organizations and citizens generally. Music will be furnished by the Marine band from Quantico and the Indian Guard band of this city.

Formation of Parade.

The various divisions comprising the parade will be made up as follows:

Platoon of police, Quantico Marine band, chief marshal, chief of staff, city officials, distinguished guests, marshal, Chamber of Commerce, marshal, Red Cross organizations, marshal, citizens, marshal, fire department, Indian Guard band, marshal, school children. The Boy Scouts will accompany the parade and keep the streets clear. Major William M. Smith will be chief marshal.

Route of Procession.

The column will move out King street to Peyton street and countermarch to Alfred street thence to Prince. Prince to Washington street, on Washington to Pendleton street then countermarch to Cameron street, on Cameron to Columbus street, thence to King street on King to the Richmond theater, where Senator Claude A. Swanson will address the people of this city.

RESULTS OF RAID.

Germans Able to Send Out Destroyers From Zeegrugge; Great Hole Torn In Mole.

Amsterdam, April 26.—A correspondent of the Telegraaf sends word from the frontier that a hole fully 25 yards wide was blown in the Zeebrugge mole by the British submarine, which was loaded with explosives and sent against the mole.

"One may see clearly through the mole," says the correspondent, "when looking from a great distance on the dunes, from east to west. The breach is near the coast, showing that the submarine went quite far into the harbor, notwithstanding the barricading contrivances such as nets and old boats. On the shore side of the harbor lies the wreck of a two-funneled torpedoboat.

"Many German wounded were transferred to Bruges by boat and train. The losses among the surprised troops must have been great. The entire garrison was called by sirens. The frightened inhabitants fled to Ramscapelle. The people could hardly believe the British had been in the harbor."

Four German torpedoboats left Zeebrugge on Tuesday night, the correspondent says on one of the customary nocturnal cruises.

DOWNS 18TH AIROPLANE.

American Aviators Score Forty Victories During Last Two Months.

Paris, April 26.—Maj. Raoul Lufbery, of Wallingford, Conn., destroyed his eighteenth German airplane Tuesday. Lieut. Paul Frang Baer, of Mobile, Ala., brought down his fifth German machine the same day, thus becoming the latest American ace. Besides the machine he is officially reported to have destroyed, Lieut. Baer is believed to have brought down two other German machines. His seven victories in the air have been scored within the last six weeks.

The semiofficial count of victories won by American aviators in the French and American service now shows a total of 40 during the last two months.

Where to Get Them.

Genuine Early Rose and Irish Cobbler Potatoes, Maine grown, at $3.50 per bag. These potatoes have passed Government inspection at this port. Furniture and floor oil, 20 cents per quart. Cut loaf sugar, 12 cents pound. Five-pound can Karo syrup, 45 cents. Butter received Tuesdays and Fridays from the Valley of Virginia, J. E. Purcell, 117 South Henry street, city. 98-3t

SUIT AGAINST PAPER.

Von Kuehlmann and Count Czernin Charged With Abasing their Country.

London, April 26.—Count von Hertling, the imperial German chancellor, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen, is officially reported to have brought a suit against the Deutsche Zeitung, of Berlin, for an article published Wednesday in which Dr. von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary, and Count Czernin, the former Austrian foreign secretary were attacked. The newspaper asserted that the two statesmen during the negotiations at Bucharest acted in a manner which abased their countries. Secretary von Kuehlmann, it was represented, was seen often with a well known member of the underworld, while Count Czernin every evening visited a theater where dancing girls were among the performers.

The German liberal newspapers, it is added, sharply critized the Deutsche Zeitung, saying that Dr. von Kuehlmann has not done anything worse than is often witnessed by the Berlin population when the annual meetings of peasants are held in the German capitol. The Vorwaerts says:

"The entire affair is like an intrigue at the court of Louis XIV. The plotters went with their accusations about Dr. von Kuehlmann's 'immorality' to a very highly placed lady, who is well known for her strict moral code, through whose influence they hoped to achieve their object."

NEW DRAFT LAW.

Men Newly 21 Years Old Must Register June 5.

Drafting of men who have become 21 since last June 5 was approved yesterday afternoon by the House. Under an amendment by Representative Hull, of Iowa, they will be at the foot of the list, and called only when all available men under last year's registration have been taken into service.

This, and another provision which does away with military exemption for divinity students, will necessitate a conference with the Senate.

Chairman Dent, of the Military Committee, announced that the War Department will order the registration of the men made eligible by this bill June 5 the anniversary of the first enrollment. All men who are 21 on that date must register. They will be classed, after answering questionaires, on exactly the same terms as men who were enrolled a year ago.

Representative Hull won his fight to put the 1918 class of young men at the foot of the list after reading a War Department statement that it neither favored nor opposed the amendment. It was said repeatedly in debate that it would make a difference of but few months at the most, as plans of the War Department are to have practically all men of class 1 in service by fall. The vote favoring the amendment was 119 to 81.

SINKING OF ST. PAUL.

Officials Doubt Theory That Enemies Caused Accident.

An official report to the Navy Department late yesterday, stated that the preliminary investigation into the sinking of the steamship St. Paul indicated that several of the vessel's seacocks had been left open when she left dry-dock. Officials stated that there is little reason to believe the accident was caused by enemy agents.

It was stated that no information relative to the accident would be given out by New York navy officials until they had completed their inestigation.

Belvoir Cafe Company.

Until further notice the Belvoir Cafe Company will serve, from 12 to 2 p. m. on Sundays, a special lunch for 75 cents, and from 6 until 9 p. m. a special chicken dinner for $1.25. These special meals will be prepared and served in a manner to please our patrons.

W. H. WHITTAKER,
92-tf Manager.

Alexandria City and Suburbs

Mr. Francis Downham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Downham, of South St. Asaph street, who enlisted in the navy recently has been called to report for duty with the aviation corps at Charleston, S. C., and will leave Monday night for that point.

Lindsey Morison, aged 76, who resided near Lorton, died yesterday afternoon while being brought to the Alexandria hospital in this city. His body was taken to Demanie's mortuary parlors and will be sent to Lorton today for burial in the Pohick church cemetery. The deceased was an employe of the government printing office at Washington.

Washingtonians had the pleasure of hearing the Glee Club of the Friend's School last week and now they are to favor Alexandria with their presence on Saturday night. Every one who wants to spend an enjoyable evening and at the same time help a good cause will go to the Young People's Building and hear this concert. The Free Kindergarten, which daily is training dozens of the children of the city to be good citizens, need the support and co-operation of every one.

Mr. George M. Morgan arrived in Alexandria night before last from Key West, Florida, having walked the entire distance of 456 miles, and was on his way to Annapolis, Md. Mr. Morgan is 73 years old and looks to be as hale and hearty as a man many years younger. He served in the civil war in Company A, First Maryland (Stuart's) Cavalry and was a courier for General Morgan, who was his third cousin. He was 17 weeks in walking from Key West to this city.

Edward Elmer Weaver, infant son of Mrs. Golden E. Weaver, 306 South Fairfax street, died yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Grimes have received a message that their son, Charles A. Grimes, has arrived safely in France.

Captain Conrad Johnson, of Camp McClellan, Anniston, Ala., Mrs. Johnson and little Miss Gay Johnson, who have been the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Johnson, in Prince street, will leave today for Anniston.

Among those who will sing at the concert to be given in the Norton Memorial Wednesday evening, May 1st by the Rector's Aid Society of St. Paul's Church will be Miss Worthington, of Washington, and Sergeant Randall Haskins Trumpe. The committee in charge of arrangements is making every effort to secure singers of note and the affair will be of unusual interest to those who enjoy good singing.

Mayor Fisher last night received a telegram from Governor Davis ordering all State offices in the city to be closed today at 12 o'clock for the remainder of the day and requesting that all places of business throughout the state to be also closed during the same hours in order to promote the success of the sale of the Third Liberty Loan bonds. Mayor Fisher did not receive the telegram until six o'clock but at once proceeded to carry out the request so far as possible. All city offices were ordered closed at noon today and the Mayor stated that he hoped the various business houses in the city would accede to the request.

Maurice Wilkins has been appointed a Notary Public by Governor Davis.

Robert Toliver, a boy 17 years old, was thrown from a horse last night at 8 o'clock, near King and Henry streets. He sustained injuries to his head and was taken to the eAlexandria hospital for treatment.

The High School Players will repeat the "Elopement of Ellen" in the Westminster Building on Tuesday evening, April 30th, for the benefit of the Alexandria Hospital. The Board of Managers now have tickets on hand to dispose of, also Warfield and Allen's drug stores.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Rena Jackson and Mr. Ellis Langford, both of Alexandria. The ceremony took place at the parsonage of the Methodist Protestant church in this city, Rev. Raymond W. White officiating, on Wednesday of this week, April 24th, at half-past 2 o'clock.

Seminole Tribe of Red Men held a patriotic meeting last night and unfurled the service flag of the tribe, which contains 18 stars. The tribe had as its guests the great chief and members of nine tribes from Washington. The Washington Red Men were met at Henry and King street and escorted to the Odd Fellows hall by a committee headed by the Indian Guard band. Representative Carlin delivered an address on patriotism and Great Sachem E. R. Boyer of Washington spoke on friendship. A large number were present and the program was much enjoyed by all.

MUST CONSERVE SUGAR.

Otherwise Supply Will Not Be Sufficient for Summer Canning.

Communication from the Federal Food administration to the Federal food administration for Virginia stated that figures show that, with fair conservation of sugar, there will be barely enough to meet the demands for the summer, when canning industries are in operation. The communication advised the State administration to instruct people to cling to a plan of strict economy now rather than during the canning season.

Retailers are instructed to maintain the present limits for sales of sugar to customers—five pounds or less to city dwellers, and 10 pounds or less to those from the rural districts—for casual sales; but during the canning seasons the necessary amounts will be able to be procured on filling out a certificate to the State food administrator. It will be the duty of the administrator to tally the sales for each week to determine the total pounds of sugar thus purchased.

Jobbers are now permitted to keep on hand a supply for sixty days. Sales from wholesalers to retailers are limited to 1,000 pounds at present.

Young Wife Hangs Self.

New York, April 26.—Mrs. Leila Calloway, 24, recently of Richmond, Va., was found dead late yesterday in the home of her uncle, Richard Calloway, of Brooklyn, whom she was visiting. Calloway declared she had hanged herself in the cellar, probably on Wednesday. She had obtained a divorce in Richmond, he said, and had been followed north by her hucband, who sought a reconciliation.

Murder Case Goes Over.

Richmond, Va., April 26.—Another continuance of the case of Dr. Lemuel J. Johnson, the young dentist from Middlesex, N. C., charged with the murder of his Richmond wife, Alice Knight Johnson, by giving her cyanide of potassium, was allowed yesterday in Hustings Court.

Counsel for the defense represented that they were still unprepared for trial. The case went over until May 15.

Speech by Senator Claude Swanson.

At 4 o'clock, immediately after the parade is over, Senator Claude A. Swanson will deliver an address at the Richmond Theater.

Concert Tomorrow Night.

Girl's Glee Club of Friend's School, of Washington, for the benefit of the Alexandria Free Kindergarten, in the Young People's Building, Saturday, April 27, at 8 p. m. Admission 25 cents. 100-2t

NEW PREMIER NAMED.

Szyerenyi, Liked in Berlin, Is Advocate of "Mittel Europa" Policy.

Zurich, Switzerland, April 26.—Josep Szyerenyi, minister of commerce in the retiring cabinet headed by Dr. Wekerle, is to be the new Hungarian premier, according to advices received here from Vienna.

He is persona grata at Berlin, being a strong advocate of the central European policy. It is expected that he will be strongly opposed by the Karolyi party and by the Socialists.

Amsterdam, April 26.—According to a Budapest dispatch to the Cologne Gazette great demonstrations have been held in Budapest and other industrial centers, incited by the social democratic party in behalf of the immediate exxtension of the suffrage as promised by the government. In the capitol 100,000 workers struck, trains ceased running for three hours and cafes were closed and business was suspended. There were no disturbances.

WAR GARDEN SEEDS.

Free Distribution to be Made Saturday, Monday and Tuesday Nights.

The free distribution of seeds under the auspices of the War Gardens Committee of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce will be held at the offices of Graham & Ogden, King street, on evenings of Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, the 27th, 29th and 30th of April, from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Every one having available space for gardening is requested to call and file their card, which will be provided, and secure their seed free of cost.

This is a patriotic as well as an economic duty, and it is the desire of the committee to have the co-operation of the entire community. The prizes will be awarded from the entrance cards, consequently it will be necessary to have your name listed regardless of whether you secure your seed from the committee or not.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of Alice Minor Kelley will be held from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelley, 1401 King street, Saturday, at 9:30 a. m., April 27th.

Canton Alexandria No. 1.

The members of Canton Alexandria No. 1 are hereby ordered to report at Odd Fellows' Hall, Sunday evening, April 28, 1918, at 7:30 in full dress uniform, to act as escort to the Odd Fellows who will attend the special services to be held at the second Presbyterian Church on that evening. By order of the Captain.

FRANK CHILCOTTE,
100-2t Secretary.

Don't forget to see "Enlighten Thy Daughter," at the Grand Theater, May 3d and 4th.

HOSIERY BANK ROBBED.

Holds Hand Over Her Mouth as He Takes Roll From Her Stocking.

Sharon, Pa., April 26.—A woman's stocking is no longer a safe bank for keeping her money, as was proved last night, when Mary Golish, 20 years old, was robbed in Farrell by an unknown man. The young woman had been calling on some friends and went home unaccompanied. As she was about to enter her home she was seized from behind by a powerful man, who held one hand over her mouth to prevent an outcry and half-dragged her to a secluded spot, where he proceeded to search her for money.

He tore one of her silk stockings to pieces and after getting her roll containing several dollars he fled. The girl was distracted by the rough handling she had received and made her way to a signal box at the corner of the street to call the police, but the fire department responded instead. The firemen made a search for the man, but failed to find any trace of him. The girl was unable to furnish the police with an adequate description of the thief.

FLY FOR DINNER.

Two Aviators Drive Bombing Biplane At Record Speed Across Country.

New York, April 26.—Leaving the Mineola flying field at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning in a Breguet bombing biplane, equipped with a 300-horse power motor, Major George Tulasne, chief of the French aviation mission to the United States, and Lieutenant George Flachaire, a French "ace," flew to Washington for luncheon and returned to New York for dinner, making what the Aero Club of America says is a record for cross-country flying in a machine carrying two men.

RURAL MOTOR LINES.

Will Reach Virginia Farms Within 40 Miles of Capitol.

The Rural Motor Express Service and Return Load Bureau, twin brothers in the cause of conservation, will begin on May 4,, the systematic transportation of food and dairy products from large productive areas in nearby Virginia to Washington and the reciprocal return to these areas from the Capitol of the necessary supplies and implements of the farmer.

Ford Cars.

We have Sedans and Town cars for immediate delivery. Place your order now for a Touring car. Remschel Auto Sales Company, Alexandria. 95-6t

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ACCUSES BILLY SUNDAY

Man Declares He is Author of Book Published as Evangelist's Work.

New York, April 26.—Billy Sunday, the evangelist, was named as a defendant in a $100,000 suit for alleged breach of contract, filed Wednesday in the Supreme Court by Hugh C. Weir, of New Rochelle. Weir asserts that he is the author of "Great Love Stories of the Bible," published as coming from Sunday's pen, and says he had a contract with the preacher to write a number of books for him, all of which were to be put out as Sunday's work. Weir asserts Sunday has refused to perform the terms of the alleged agreement and has repudiated it.

There was an excellent sales plan for disposing of the books, Weir asserts. He says he was to make contracts with the publishers so that Sunday could obtain the volumes at a special discount, enabling him to put them on sale at the book stores maintained by him in his tabernacles in various cities where he conducts revival meetings. Sunday also agreed, according to Weir, that he would direct his assistants to endeavor to convince his "trail-hitters" of the necessity of their purchasing the books and that he would devote a portion of his sermons to this end.

Then, too, so Weir maintains, there were to be gilt leather volumes, issued as special de luxe editions and bearing the Rev. Billy's autographic signature, to be sold at from $10 to $15 each. Weir says that Sunday represented that he could sell "great numbers" of these to wealthy supporters of his evangelistic enterprises. Among the persons Weir says Sunday specified were John D. Rockefeller, Jr. James M. Spiers, George W. Perkins, John Wanamaker and Mrs. Finley Shepard.

A special royalty of 33 1-3 per cent was to be asked from the publisher for this edition, Weir says in his affidavit. It was to be shared equally between himself and Sunday.

"Great Love Stories of the Bible" already has been published. On the list of unpublished books which Weir says have been contracted for at his hands by the preacher are "Great Sinners of the Bible," "Great Mothers of the Bible," "Great Hypocrites of the Bible," "Great Mysteries of the Bible" and "Great Moments of the Bible."

According to Weir, there also was to be an autobiography of Sunday, which the plaintiff was to write, to be called "Billy Sunday's Own Story."

PARADE IN CAPITOL.

Subscribers 50,000 Strong March in Washington This Afternoon.

The greatest parade and demonstration that Washington has ever held for speeding up any popular national movement took place this afternoon, when Liberty Day was observed in the District by the marching of 50,000 bond subscribers, including practically all the government employes, members of Congress and the Cabinet, civic, fraternal and club organizations, trade and professional units and private individuals.

Thirty bands, forty floats illustrating the pressing need for putting the third loan "over," and a sensational airplane exhibition by Miss Ruth Law, noted American airwoman on the Ellipse, were all part of the afternoon's program. The aerial exhibition took place immediately after the parade, at 3 o'clock, with another at 4 o'clock. Stores were closed all the afternoon and a general holiday observed.

Fears For Dutch.

London, April 26.—The Dutch foreign minister, according to Central News Dispatch from The Hague, told the first chamber today that he was unable to conceal that the issues between Germany and Holland concerning, the sand and gravel transit through Holland were very serious.

Office of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company.

Philadelphia, April 8, 1918.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company will be held at the Elks Home, corner Prince and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 2nd day of May, 1918, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

Transfer books will be closed on April 22nd at 4 o'clock p. m., and will be reopened on May 7th at 10o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.
W. ARTHUR SELLMAN,
90-16t Secretary.

BATTLE STILL RAGING

British Recapture the Village of Villers-Bretenneux With 600 Prisoners.

London, April 26.—German forces have secured a footing on Mont Kemmel, one of the most important heights in Flanders following an all day battle on a ten-mile front, Field Marshal Haig reported today. "After severe fighting throughout the day on the Bailleul-Hollebeke front, the enemy obtained a footing on Kemmel hill," Haig said.

The great doublebattle, which developed two days ago on the Picardy and Flanders fields was still raging last night with varying success. The British recaptured the village of Villers-Bretenneux, but slightly retired their lines at some points on the Flanders front to avoid useless losses.

Australian troops have played a brilliant part in the fighting south of the Somme river (opposite Amiens.)

Australian forces, in conjunction with English soldiers, attacked in the sector of Villers Bretenneux and not only drove the Germans from the village, but captured more that 600 prisoners.

Earlier German attacks in the same neighborhood had been carried out with about 500 troops. Despite the vigor of the assaults the Germans were unable to get in any ground, and Field Marshal Haig in his official dispatches on Thursday night emphasized the severity of the German losses.

The Germans were unable to renew their infantry attacks and the artillery on both sides was very active The big guns were active all the way to the Avre river.

WALKS MILES TO BUY BONDS

Virginia Farmer Also Sells All His Wheat and Uses Substitutes.

Winchester, Va., April 26.—Erastus Baker, 75 years old, of Whitacre, Va., walked all the way from his home to Winchester yesterday, a distance of 15 miles, and deposited $3,000 in cash for Liberty bonds. Liberty loan spellbinders who are stumping the county worked on his patriotism at a local meeting. Unlocking his strong box early this morning, he placed all his cash in a sack and started for town, reaching here before the bank closed, tired, but eager to help the cause.

Asked why he walked instead of riding one of his horses, the old man said it was the principle of the thing that concerned him most; if by sacrifice he could save $2,000 to lend to his Government he could by the same token deny himself the ease to get to town to purchase the bonds. Mr. Baker has sold his wheat at the price offered in the market and now confines himself to bread made only from cornmeal and buckwheat cakes.

A well-known Winchester woman, who has practiced economy and preparedness for years, who asked that her name be withheld, told some of her friends yesterday that she had taken $100 that she had laid aside for her burial casket, and had bought Liberty bonds. "I know some one will bury me when I'm dead, but just now I want to help to bury that wicked old Kaiser," she said as she made the deposit at a local bank.

LYNCHBURG EARNS FLAG.

Raises $750,000 More Than Quota Assigned.

Lynchburg, Va., April 26.—Lynchburg has earned a Liberty Loan flag, having subscribed the Government quota by more than $750,000, and now needs less than $200,000 for a self-imposed quota of $2,150,000. It is believed Liberty Bond Day will see the subscriptions here go over the maximum quota. Banks will remain open this evening until 9 o'clock for subscriptions. Subscriptions yesterday totaled $1,995,100.

Drops Bombs Near Kaiser.

Copenhagen, April 26.—A British airman bombarded Zeebrugge mole while the Kaiser was inspecting the results of the recent British raid there, German newspapers declared today. The Kaiser remained on themole and completed his inspection.

Notice.

I desire to give notice that I have severed my connection with the Alexandria Quick Lunch at 318 King street, and am now located at the Virginia Lunch at 403 King street, where I shall be glad to see all my friends and will spare no effort to cater to their wants in the eating line.

100-4t JAMES PRIVIOLOS.

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LIBERTY PARADE TODAY.

Times change and men change with them. A few years ago had a person prophesied that during the first score of the twentieth century the United States would be engaged in another struggle for liberty he would have been regarded as a fit subject for a lunacy commission. Such, however, is the fact, and scenes in Alexandria today show that the sentiment of '76 is manifest in the present generation. There has been a genuine Liberty Parade in old Alexandria, with all the enthusiasm shown by our progenitors a century and a half ago.

The city has been bedecked with flags and young and old have vied in a massive procession designed in the interest of the sale of the third issue of Liberty Bonds. While the old and middle-aged have been prominent, the younger generation have "been there," too, school children and Boy Scouts being prominent in the pageant.

In the olden times, when "Liberty was the principal theme of speakers in Alexandria on the Fourth of July and the Twenty-second of February, the multitude repaired to old Liberty Hall, on Cameron street, after the paraders had disbanded and listened to patriotic speakers. They invariably spake on "Liberty," as the echoes of '76 and 1812 were still in the air. After the close of the war between the states, however, pageants instead of patriotic speeches engrossed the minds of the people when these anniversaries came along. Liberty was regarded as an established condition, as immovable as Gibraltar.

The world has had a rude awakening, especially the United States, a peaceable nation, which for the third time has been forced to draw the sword in order to preserve the great principles for which our ancestor fought.

While hostilities continue the chest must be kept full, and the Liberty bonds afford an opportunity for the great mass of Americans to have a part in financing the war.

Our country at first offered the olive branch, which was trampled under the feet of the Hun warlords. It then became necessary for the American eagle to hold out its left claw. This contained arrows. Many will doubtless be broken during the conflict. Liberty bonds, however, will keep the quiver full.

THE RED HORSE OF WAR.

Ludendorff has resumed the pounding of the Franco-British line. The Teutonic offensive has flared up again, stripped, however, of its initial momentum. Nothing is behind it save the lumbering, sledgehammer pressure of men driven to their doom in waves and relays and cataract-like rushes. That type of warfare is enough to make Frederick the Great, whom the German emperor emulates, turn in his grave. It converts war into terms of the slaughter-house.

Worst of all, from the enemy's point of view, as is said by the Washington Herald, there are indisputable signs that the resumption of the onslaught is a "forced" affair. The German people were becoming restive under the curious quiet on the western front for the past week—were demanding to know the quality and the proportions of the victory that had been promised them and which, according to their venal press, was about to be clinched by the magic-worker Hindenburg. That was an embarrassing interrogation. There was only one way to get away from it, in the present temper of the German mind, and that was to start the clangor of guns and the killing of men again—and that apparently Ludendorff has done under forced draft, under an artificial array of circumstances over which he had no control, and yet of which he was deadly afraid, and which had little relation to the strategic values existing on the western front between the two opposing forces.

One by one the peoples of the earth are being drawn into the maelstrom of war, says the Richmond Times-Dispatch, for nations scattered far and wide have been able to remain neutral, but not one of them has escaped the effects of the titanic conflict now raging, and it seems inevitable that soon or late the last of them will be forced to ally itself with one side or the other. Even now practically the whole of Europe is involved. The greater part of North America is involved. Half the nations of South America are involved. Africa, a continent of colonies, is involved, and now Asia is yielding to the irresistible magnet.

The magnitude of this conflict long ago passed beyond the comprehension of man. Long ago it staggered the imagination. We called it a world war when only Europe and Europe's colonies were parties to it. It seemed so even then, although it was confined to one continent. Now it involves hemispheres. It is no longer merely a war of civilization. It is a war of mankind.

FIGHTING FOR ZION.

The exalted spirit of the Jewish young men who are enlisting under the British flag to fight in Palestine is reflected in a letter which was written by members of the second contingent, which left March 21 for a Canadian training camp. The letter is a reply to greetings from the Jewish recruits of the American National Army in training at Camp Gordon, Ga. The letter reads:

"We have read your hearty greetings, and we feel that these are not merely greetings, but the outcry of longing souls who all their lives have hoped to stand in battle array for the liberation of our long-suffering people, and who now grieve over the tragedy of the times which robs them of the glorious privilege of fighting under the banner of Judea for the sake of our beautiful and ever-beloved mother, Zion.

"That our people may be liberated, we must make certain of a victory against monster Germany, whose aim is the enslavement of the whole world. Realizing that a victory for Germany would put the chains of slavery on all humanity, as well also, of the Jewish people, and that her defeat means the liberation of all the peoples, the Jewish people included, we are confident, dear brothers that you will do your full duty on whatever front it is your fate to meet the universal foe. And oh, dear brothers, be victorious, for in your victory is involved the realization of our common dream—the revival of Zion. And when our banner—the white and blue, symbol of peace—will flutter over all the land of Israel, and you, God willing, will come thither, we shall greet you joyously at the gates of Jerusalem as warriors who have wrought valiantly for the sake of Zion.

"As soldiers of the Jewish nation to soldiers who have not the good fortune to go forward under the banner of Judea, we vow that with our breasts and our swords we will defend that banner which was carried to victory by the Maccabees, and we hope that you, children of heroic Israel, will display your valor under the banner of the great and free republic, America, for your victory means the freedom of the whole world."

THE RAT MENACE.

The Gazette has several times during the past few weeks called attention to certain duties which at present face the authorities and people of Alexandria. Our city should be placed in perfect sanitary condition as soon as possible. Warm weather is in transit and will soon be upon us; hence a general cleaning-up is imperative. Whitewash should be used without stint and every effort made to eliminate anything that can in any way produce disease.

The rat problem is being tackled in some of the large cities, and means are being devised to starve out these pests which not only destroy large quantities of food in the course of a year, but it is believed carry diseases from house to house.

While there are no reasons to suppose rats can be exterminated, much can be done toward minimizing them.

Rats will continue to thrive as long as the garbage remains uncollected or as long as the city permits its dumping at places where the rats can feast upon it.

Rats breed so fast that if they are left unmolested to feed upon the city full of open garbage and trash within a short time the city will be overrun.

The city dumps are, perhaps, the greatest rat breeders. Not only is decaying garbage dumped in these places, but all sorts of accumulated trash, such as old colthes and rags used by diseased persons, discarded pillows and bedding full of infection and dirt. Here frequently children find a playground, carrying bits of clothes and old furniture, reeking with disease to their homes. Sometimes these things are taken to the junk dealer and later are sold to a not over-careful public. The germs of these infected things are thereby not limited to the section in which the dump is found, but are trailed into other quarters.

A part of every dump is the old cans with bits of decaying food clinging to their sides. Into these cans the rain falls and soon little, stagnant pools, ideal places for breeding mosquitoes and flies, are established, and the infection finds a new rapid transit route to the rest of the city.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Under the above heading the Gazette will be pleased to give reasonable space to any person who desires to make comment upon matters of general interest to the public. Writers will of course be responsible for their utterances. As a guarantee of good faith, the name and address of the writer of any article submitted for publication will be required in each instance.—Editor Gazette.

A Query.

Editor Gazette:

Do our prosperous merchants of German descent think that the conspicuous absence of their names from the Third Liberty Loan Roll of Honor is a proof of their loyalty, and that it merits any consideration save that of all loyal Americans refusing to spend any money with them?

They are quick to shout their loyalty when their business suffers, but hesitate to loan their money to Uncle Sam.

A word to the wise should be sufficient.

A WATCHER.

"SCHOOL THRIFT WEEK."

Every Schoolboy and Girl in Virginia to be Asked to Sell Thrift Stamps.

Every schoolboy and girl in Virginia will be asked to buy or sell not less than $2 worth of thrift stamps during "School Thrift Week," May 6-11, just designated by Governor Davis' proclamation. In co-operation with Director Thomas B. McAdams, who heads the war savings campaign in the state, Superintendent of Public Instruction Harris Hart has already gotten in touch with county superintendents, principals and teachers urging their active support in response to this patriotic movement.

Governor Davis and Colonel McAdams expects all children to interest themselves in this great patriotic work, which will help Uncle Sam in financing his war program to crush Prussian militarism and make the world safe for democracy.

Hardy, field-grown cabbage plants; any amount, from fifty plants to one hundred thousand. Low prices. Also other plants. Two minutes' walk from Bennings Station. 119 Anacostia road, Washington, D. C. 100-6t

AUCTION SALES.

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

By virtue of eight deeds of trust made by William H. Peck and wife to the trustees of the German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., bearing date respectively on the 2nd day of September, 1909, and the 9th day of October, 1909, 14th day of December, 1909, and the 14th day of October, 1909, and duly of record in the land records of the City of Alexandria, in Deed Book No. 59, pages 85 and 87, Deed Book No. 58, pages 551 and 553; Deed Book No. 57, pages 453 and 455 and Deed Book No. 59, pages 237 and 239, and by direction of the Board of Directors of the said Association, default having been made in the payment of the amount secured by the above mentioned deeds of trust the undersigned, surviving trustees, will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, the 4th day of May, 1918, at the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, beginning at 12 o'clock and continuing until the said property is sold the following property to wit:

All those lots of ground with the improvements thereon in the said City of Alexandria and bounded as follows:

First: Beginning on the east side of West street 35 feet north of Princess street, and running thence north on West street 19 feet to the middle of the partition between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the north, thence east 99 feet 5 inches to an alley 12 feet wide, thence south on said alley 19 feet and thence west in a direct line 99 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with use of said alley.

Second: Beginning on the east side of West street 54 feet north of Princess street and at the middle of the partition between the house on the lot hereby conveyed and the house adjoining on the south and running thence north on West street 19 feet thence east 99 feet 5 inches, to an alley 12 feet wide, thence south on said alley 19 feet, and thence west in a direct line 99 feet 5 inches to the beginning with right of way over said alley.

Third: Beginning on the east side of West street 73 feet north of Princess street and running thence north on West street 18 feet to the middle of the partition between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the north, thence east 99 feet to an alley 12 feet wide, thence south on said alley 19 feet and thence west in a direct line 99 feet 5 inches to the beginning with use of said alley.

Fourth: Beginning on the east side of West street 92 feet north of Princess street and at the middle of the partition, between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the south and running thence north on West street 19 feet, thence east 99 feet 5 inches to an alley 12 feet wide, thence south on said alley 19 feet, and thence west in a direct line 99 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with use of said alley.

Fifth: Beginning on the north side of Princess street 127 feet 5 inches east of West street and at the middle of the partition between the house on the lot of ground hereby conveyed and the house adjoining on the west and running thence east on Princess street 16 feet to an alley, thence north on said alley 90 feet to a court, thence west on said court 16 feet, and thence south in a direct line 90 feet to the beginning, with use of said court and alley.

Sixth: Beginning on the north side of Princess street 111 feet 5 inches east of West street, and one the east side of an alley, and running thence east on Princess street 16 feet to the middle of the partition between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the east, thence north in a direct line 90 feet to a court, thence west on said court 16 feet to above alley, and thence south on said alley 90 feet to the beginning, with use of said court and alley.

Terms of sale cash. Conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
93-14t Surviving Trustees.

WANTED AT ONCE.

At the highest cash prices,

20,000 Bags and

10,000 pounds Burlap

also all kinds of old junk, such as Old Iron, Rags, Rubber, Rope, Bones, Brass, Copper, Zinc, Lead and Metals of all kinds, also old Autos and Auto tires, etc.

We also buy all kinds of paper and paper Stock, bags, and burlap.

Ship us your goods. We pay the highest prices. Checks mailed same day goods are received.

CAPITAL JUNK COMPANY
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1210 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

That Report

—of the Bureau of Labor, from which we quoted the other day, ended with a very striking statement:

"Foreign mothers with limited incomes were generally the last to cut down on their children's milk."

Perhaps that's one reason why they were "poor."

But no matter how "rich" you are, you can't buy a baby of your own.

If a man has a million dollars and no children, don't you suppose he would willingly give up a big part (perhaps all) of it for a baby?

And if a man takes care of his money, how much more should he take care of his baby.

Those "foreign mothers" are rich, not poor, and they are taking care of their "fortunes."

Are you?

You can, easily, by giving your baby plenty of good, clean Featherstone milk.

Ask us for a sample bottle.

FEATHERSTONE FARMS
Producers of good, clean milk.
Telephones. 817 Alexandria. 10 Lorton
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NOTICE

Mutual Ice Company Bonds.

Pursuant to the terms of the bonds and deed of trust securing the same, issued by the Mutual Ice Company, bearing date of July 1, 1912, Five Thousand Dollars of said bonds will be paid at the First National Bank, Alexandria, Va., on July 1, 1918.

The bonds to be paid off will be selected by lot, as drawn by the trustee. Those holding bonds not desiring payment, will please notify the trustee. As far as possible, the selection of bonds to be paid will be selected from those desiring payment.

No interest will be paid on bonds so selected for payment after July 1, 1918.

Drawing will be made June 1, 1918.

J. K. M. NORTON, Trustee.
96-12t Alexandria, Va.

Notice.

Having qualified as executor of Mary L. Roche, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with me, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for payment.

THOMAS J. FANNON,
91-10t Executor.

Insure the home NOW—don't delay another day. This is the season in which most fires occur. Insuring through this Agency means ABSOLUTE PROTECTION at regular rates.

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THE BEVERAGE

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Our boys in the navy enjoy their Bevo. The esteem in which it is held by the entire Navy Department is clearly indicated by the fact that it is sold and served on all U. S. vessels and in training camps. Afloat or ashore, you will find Bevo unusually refreshing, good and healthful.

Soft in the strictest sense, but a thoroughgoing man's drink. Try it by itself, or with a bite to eat.

Served everywhere—families supplied by grocer.

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Distributors ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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—In Alexandria, Va., bright young women between the ages of 16 and 25, to learn telephone operating. Paid while learning. Apply to Chief Operator, 105 North Alfred street, Alexandria, Va., Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Co. 96-6t

SPECIAL NOTICES

Auction Sale of Valuable House and Lot.

At the request of the owner, I will offer for sale on Saturday, April 13, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, a two-story brick house, with lot 20 by 80 feet, at 212 King street, in Alexandria, suitable for business, dwelling or flats. Purchaser to pay $200 on day of sale and the balance within ten days.

SAMUEL H. LUNT.

POSTPONEMENT—The above sale has been postponed until Saturday, April 27, at the same hour and place.
84-12t

To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the by-laws of the company the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 29th of April, 1918, at the principal office of the company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va. First, to elect a board of nine directors of the company; second, to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

EDWARD RUHL,
Secretary.
Boston, Mass., March 1, 1918.
90-12t

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LANSBURGH & BRO
Washington, D. C.

Tomorrow We Again Announce This Greatest Boys'

Wash Suit Sale

Thousands of garments bought when cotton was 'way down, so we could sell them at these wonderfully low prices.

Styles include Junior Norfolks, Tommy Tuckers, Dichens Middies, (some with long pants), belted effects and dozens of others.

Such materials represented as madras, gingham, linen, chambray, peggy cloth, reps, galatea and duck, in neat color combinations and in solid colors.

Sizes in all three lots 2½ to 8 years.

Wash Suits, Values to $2,
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Wash Suits, Values to $3,
$1.65

Wash Suits, Values to $4,
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$4.65 Pair.

Repair Your Electric Fans Now

Bring us your electric fans for a thorough cleaning and oiling before the hot weather begins.

This work should be done once each year in order to keep the fan in best condition.

We charge oiling and cleaning $1.00

Repair parts extra.

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Thrift Stamps ..... .25c each

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The Citizens National Bank

Corner King and St. Asaph Streets.

We are Going "Over the Top" in the Liberty Loan—Join Us.

The Alexandria National Bank

Buy A Liberty Bond On Your Own Terms

COME IN AND OPEN AN ACCOUNT.

—CASH— —OR— —CREDIT— The Leader —CASH— —OR— —CREDIT—

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Special $2.98 and $3.98

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BLACK TAN, ROSE, GREY AND BLUE HATS, TRIMMED WITH WINGS, QUILLS, RIBBON AND FLOWERS.

Hats also made to sell at a higher price.

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A Blaze of Beauty.

A survey of our show cases will disclose to you the most beautiful, brilliant and sparkling examples of the diamond cutters' art. They are exclusive in design, and there can be no argument as to the price. These facts cannot berefuted.

SAUNDERS & SON, 629 King Street.

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VICIOUS LIES BY HUNS.

Propaganda on French Front Most Desperate Since War Began.

Washington, April 26.—Germany has sought to stir the French to enmity against the Americans by some of the most vicious propaganda attempted during the war.

Papers, appearing to be editions of the standard French dailies, were circulated by the German airmen over the French lines to sow this propaganda.

Among other things these purported to show was that the American soldiers were stealing the wives of French soldiers. This line of propaganda was first attempted in Italy. There, the Germans printed psuedo-Italian newspapers with stories of bread riots and revolution in Italy, following it up with postcards to soldiers saying the men's wives had been untrue.

American officials are carefully on guard against the German propaganda at the front line, and it is assumed that American soldiers will realize the viciousness of the Teuton attacks after experience in this system at home.

Classified Advertising

WANTED—Boy for day work. L. Shuman & Son, City. 98-3t

WANTED—Three waitresses, white; good wages; one short-order cook, colored. Apply 805 King street. 98-3t

WANTED—One, two, three, four or five rooms and bath, furnished or unfurnished housekeeping apartment or house, with all modern conveniences, in refined neighborhood of Alexandria or suburbs. References exchanged. Write at once, giving complete details. A. R. Detweiler, care General Delivery, Washington, D. C. 85-tf

FOR RENT—Six bedrooms, nicely furnished; suitable for young men, or would rent part of the house to desirable parties. Call after 5 o'clock p .m., at 605 Oronoco street, city. 99-2t

WANTED—Boy, good job, steady work. Apply at 317 King street, 2d floor, Alexandria. 99-3t

WANTED—Good cook, to leave the city; references. Call at Fairfax apartments, Mrs. A. S. Doniphan. 99-3t

PAPER HANGING, and Window Shades made to order. Estimates cheerfully given. H. E. Webb, 137 South Fairfax street. Phone 716. Thurs.-Fri.-Sat-tf.

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WANTED—Girl to clerk in store; will pay good wages. Call at 300 North Patrick street, Alexandria. 99-3t

LOST—Gold watch, initial "W." Finder please return to M. M. Weinberg, Paff Shoe Company, or after 5 p. m. to 822 King street. Liberal reward; no questions asked. 100-2t

WANTED—Servant in family of four adults; no laundry work required; good wages. Apply at 22 Rosemont avenue. 100-3t

WANTED — To communicate with some party who has ten or twelve good milk cows to sell on reasonable terms; also some pigs. Address E. Wilson, Alexandria, Va. 100-1t

FOR RENT—Private garage, electric lights, central location. Call at 211 South St. Asaph street. 100-2t

WANTED—Reliable woman for half-days; work by the week, no cooking. Apply at 211 South St. Asaph st. 100-2t

NOTICE—Investigations, civil, criminal and divorce cases. Shadowing in all its branches. Male and female operators. Address "B," Gazette office. 100-2t

ROOM FOR RENT—Furnished, in private family; all conveniences. Address H. R., care Gazette. 100-2t

WANTED—By a Washington Savings bank doing a general banking business, several men between the ages of 32 and 45, one as general ledger bookkeeper and several as tellers; salary $1,000 to $1,200 per annum, in accordance with ability and experience, with excellent opportunity for advancement. Address Bank, care Gazette Office. 100-2t

HENRY K. FIELD & COMPANY

Lumber and Mill Work

Quick Shipments Grades Guaranteed

MAJOR M'CONNELL DEAD.

Aged Veteran of War Between States Dies at Son's Home in Richmond.

Gate City, Va., April 26.—Major Sylvester Patton McConnell died at the home of his son, E. K. H. McConnell in Richmond Wednesday, aged ninety. In the war between the States he organized the Twenty-seventh Battalion of Cavalry and saw much hard service. In the Autumn of 1864 he came home on account of the illness of wife and was made county treasurer. Hearing that a detachment from Stoneman's raid was coming here, he carried the county funds and books into the mountain at night and concealed them. With what forces he could collect he drove the raiders away after they had burned Henry S. Kane's store and set fire to the courthouse, which he extinguished.

TWO DESERTERS KILLED.

Held Officers at Bay for Days Before End Came.

Bluefield, W. Va., April 26.—Holding officers at bay for several weeks, Vernon Counts and Marquis Jesse, alleged deserters from Camp Lee, were wounded by officers in the mountains near Caterton, over the Virginia state line. Deputy Sheriff Bride, with a posse, was sent out to capture the men, who, it is alleged, declared they would die in their tracks rather than return to army life. Many rounds of shots were fired and Bride was hit three times, his life being saved by a heavy leather-back book which he carried in his pocket.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 25th day of April, 1918.

Julia Lillian Clarke, complainant, vs. Albert B. Clarke, defendant. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Albert B. Clarke, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

William P. Woolls, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

100-4w

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Mary Virginia Meetze, complainant, vs. George W. Meetze. In chancery.

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NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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Every room for the children

Little hands are often soiled and sticky—careless of spotless walls. Walls of Velour Finish can be washed—but you can't wash wall paper. We guarantee satisfaction to users of

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We know that it is more economical than wall-paper. Also is sanitary. Soap and water will easily remove all traces of grease and dirt from walls, ceilings and woodwork painted with Velour Finish. It is easy to apply and it is economical and artistic.

We recommend it above all others as a durable finish for new and old walls. The free booklet—"Harmony in the Home"—shows many attractive color schemes.

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E HANDLE THE WELL KNOWN "ROUNTREE" LINE OF TRUNKS—SUIT CASES AND TRAVELING BAGS.

Our stock is now complete—we mark all trunks—bags and suit cases free of charge

TRUNKS, from $5.00 to $25.00.

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The Oldest National Bank in Virginia

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We welcome new accounts, large and small.

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High Grade Investment Bonds 1st Mortgages on Real Estate

Deposits Received Subject to Check 3 Per cent. paid on Savings Deposits. Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent. Letters of Credit and Travelers Express Cheques.

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For Coughs and Colds, CHERRY COUGH SYRUP. The old formula, the old price 25c. Ouylon Tablets 10c and 25c. We have in stock a full line of standard remedies for coughs and colds. External and internal.

Leadbeater Drug Corporation

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect Feb. 17, 1918.

For Washington and points north daily 8:08, 9:13, 9:28, 10:13, 11:38, a. m., 12:13, 1:18, 3:18, 9:13, 11:33 p. m.

Week days only 6:03 p. m. Saturdays only 4:45 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:52 (local) and 9:47, a. m. 2:27; 2:47, 5:17 (local) 6:17, 2:27, 8:17, 9:17, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 11:03 a. m. daily and 2.38 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

WASHINGTON VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In Effect February 23, 1918. Subject to Change Without Notice.

Leave Alexandria for Washington.

A. M.—*5.00, †5.40, †6.00, *8.10, 8.20, *8.30, 8.40, *8.50, 7.00, *7.10, 7.20, *7.30, *7.35, 7.40, *7.45, *7.50, *7.55, 8.00, *8.05, *8.10, 8.20, *8.30, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, 11.40.

P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.30, 1.40, 1.50, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.30, 2.40, 2.50, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.20, 6.30, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40. A. M.—12.00.

*Except Sundays and Holidays.

†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon

A. M.—†5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.50, 10.35, 11.35.

P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.35, 10.35, 11.55.

†Except Sundays.

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The patronage of the public is solicited.

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Stop in any bank and let them explain, how easy it is.

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The ever Popular **PICKERT SISTERS** and their Excellent

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PRESENTING HIGH CLASS ROYALTY PLAYS
WITH FEATURE VAUDEVILLE BETWEEN THE ACTS

Monday Night COHEN & HARRIS Big New York Success **The Only Son**

SOME OF THE WELL KNOWN PRODUCTIONS TO BE PRESENTED ARE

A Pair of Sixes, Kick In, Fine Feathers Mother, Alma Where Do You Live, The House of Lies, Broken Butter Fly and Others.

MATINEE SAT. Prices Children 15, Adults 25c

NIGHT PRICES 25c, 35c and 50c Plus the war price

RESERVED SEATS NOW ON SALE At Warfield Drug Store.

DESCRIBES ZEEBRUGGE FIGHT.

British Entered Harbor in Pitch Darkness—Many Huns Accounted For.

London, April 26.—A young marine who took part in the fighting on the mole at Zeebrugge described his experiences to a Central News correspondent at a Kentish port as follows:

"We certainly had a hot time. I shall never forget it. It was all pitch dark until we got right into the harbor, and then the place suddenly became light with star shells and the fun started.

"Looming big ahead of us was a German destroyer, evidently getting under way. We put on full speed ahead and rammed her amidships, cutting her in half. As she sank we steamed along side the mole quickly, put out gangways and rushed on to the mole. By that time it was raining hard.

"The first thing my party encountered was a giant German, who came out of the semidarkness and lunged at our nearest man. Before he could get in a blow our captain knocked him on the head with his truncheon, and he sank down dead.

"Next we saw another German destroyer,tied up on the other side of the mole. This we destroyed. We knocked on the head all who attempted to oppose our progress. Then came an order to charge along the mole. We rushed ahead, bayoneting or shooting all we came across.

"By this time we were fairly mad and in high glee. The noise of the firing, mingling of the shouts and cries of the men was terrifying. It was a slaughter."

The marine said that when the order came to return to the ship they retraced their steps along the mole, which was littered with the dead and dying, and re-embarked safely.

PRIESTS LEAD IRISH.

Collecting a Defense Fund to Use In Opposing Conscription.

Dublin, April 26.—Throughout Ireland the anti-conscriptionists are quietly and determinedly marshalling resistance to the draft. A joint "national defense council," consisting of Dillon and Devlin for the Irish party; Devarla and Griffith for the Sinn Feiners, and Healy and O'Brien for Nationalists, was in session all day Wednesday at the mansion house, working out plans for resistance and co-ordinating the political, ecclesiastical and labor forces. To meet eventualities, Commander-in-Chief Mahon issued a proclamation against carrying arms or ammunition in ten Irish counties.

Sir Edward Carson ordered his Ulsterites to reorganize their machinery and hold a council meeting immediately after the introduction of home rule, declaring Ulster's position "grave." Nationalist members of parliament are urging the people to refrain from violence. They report the tension great, however. Priests are directing the collection of a "national defense fund," in many districts assessing ten per cent of the valuation. Already large amounts have been gathered.

FOREMOST STARS, SUPERBLY DIRECTED IN CLEAN MOTION PICTURES

RICHMOND TONIGHT, FRANCIS X. BUSHMAN AND BEVERLY BAYNE IN "WITH NEATNESS AND DISPATCH" ALSO "THE SON OF DEMOCRACY"

RICHMOND, TOMORROW, APRIL 27,

WAS SHE JUSTIFIED?

Her husband had neglected her—dishonored their union. But she suffered in silence till he took her child. Then she blazed to fury ad struck for the sake of her boy.

William Fox
Presents
R. A. Walsh's Drama

"Woman and the Law"

The Greatest Woman's Picture Ever Staged

"WOMAN AND THE LAW" pictures with tremendous intensity mother love and the injustice of the law which permits the taking of a child from the mother. It is based on the internationally sensational De Saulles domestic tragedy.

SURPRISE TONIGHT

IRENE HUNT

in

"The Maternal Spark"

SURPRISE, SATURDAY, APRIL 27

The girl he loved a prisoner at the bar of his court

OLIVE TELL

IN

"The Girl and the Judge"

A drama of society, shoplifting, finance and police court—adapted from the Charles Frohman's stage success.

FOR SALE

VALUABLE KING STREET PROPERTY

Can be bought at an exceedingly low price

See us about this.

Alexander Suter, Inc.,

529 KING STREET.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 25th day of April, 1918.

Annie D. Beck, complainant, vs. Cassius M. Beck, an insane person, defendant. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; that a guardian ad litem be assigned to defend the interests of the defendant herein, and required to answer on oath; that custody of the infant children of the parties be awarded to complainant, and for general relief. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Cassius M. Beck, an insane person, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

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